

## Goddard Dance Club's Resident Dance Instructor

Chip Atwood has been teaching "Social Ballroom Dancing" in Maryland for 40 years. He teaches and DJ's five nights a week at two locations. His teaching emphasis is on having fun and enjoying your partner. The songs he plays have tempos designed and altered for the social dance enthusiast.

Classes taught include Foxtrot, Waltz, Tango, Cha Cha, Rumba, East and West Coast Swing, Mambo, Salsa, Meringue, Samba, Quickstep, Viennese Waltz, Peabody, Disco Hustle, Bolero, Bossa Nova, Nightclub Two Step and Country Two Step.

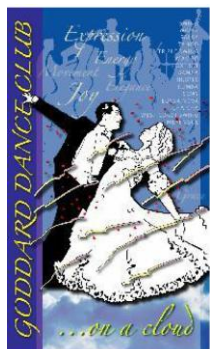


**Chip Atwood**  
Goddard Dance Club DJ  
and Instructor

For more information visit:

<http://dance.gsfc.nasa.gov>

All classes and dance practice sessions are held at the Building 8 Auditorium. Goddard Dance Club members and guests attending functions at the NASA Goddard Space Flight Center must be U.S. citizens and must have a picture ID (valid driver's license preferred).



**One FREE Class**  
**Goddard Dance Club**  
**Dance Class and Dance Practice**

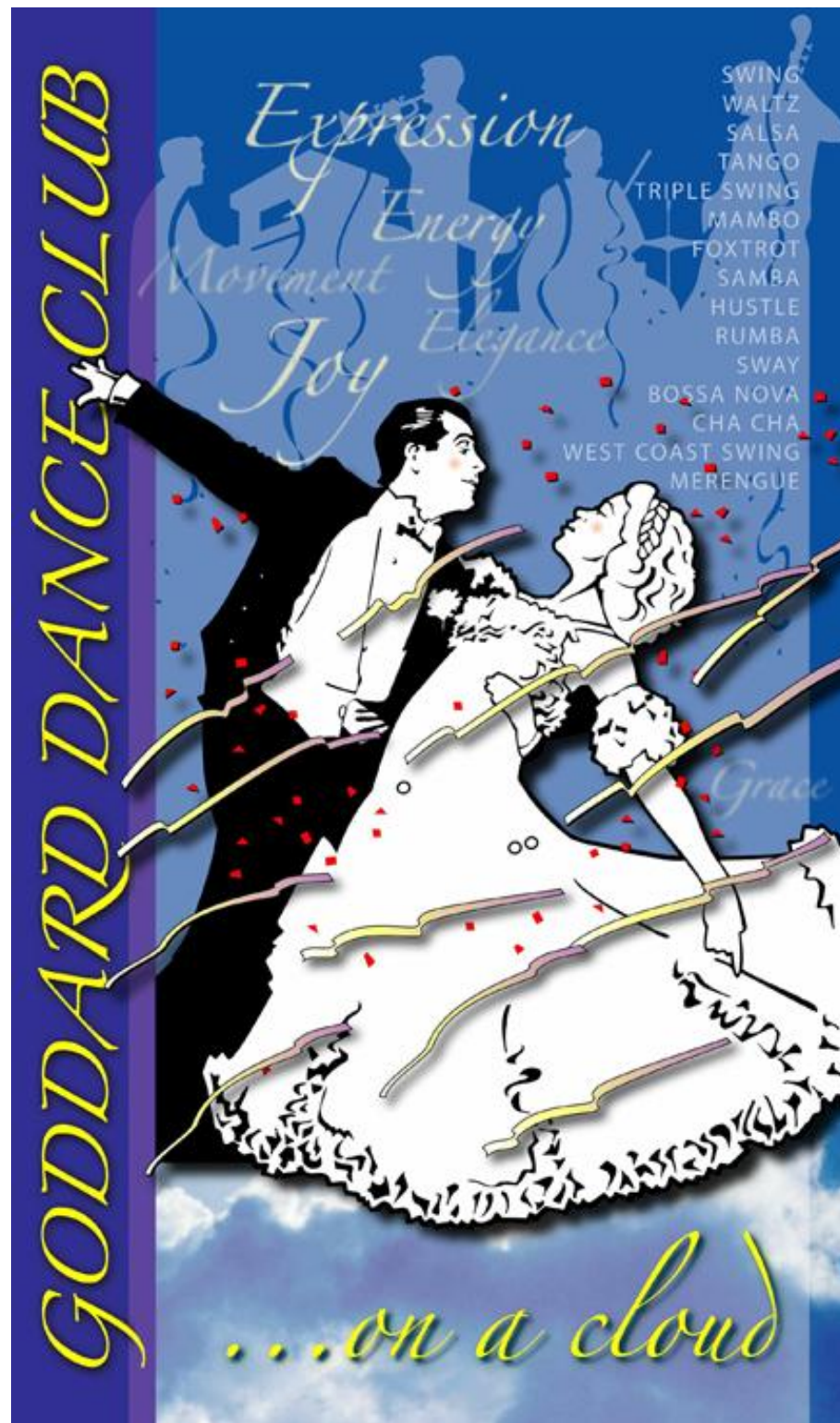
Wednesday 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Friday 6:30 - 9:30 p.m.

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Valid through December 31, 2012



## So You Want To Dance

Today, Ballroom dancing is more popular than ever – millions of people are fans of “Dancing with the Stars”. Perhaps you’ve imagined how great it would be to if you knew how to dance for all those special occasions . . . weddings, holiday functions, an upcoming cruise, etc. But it’s never been the right time because you’re too busy, have “two left feet” or don’t have the time. Well, now it’s time to give dancing a try. We’ve made it easy.

### Goddard Dance Club – Be Our Guest

Don’t take our word for it that dancing is fun and that the Goddard Dance Club is a great place to learn how to dance – we invite you to ***attend your first class and dance practice at no charge***. And the Dance Club is offering a *Special Price Promotion from May 1 – October 31, 2012*. Series and single night attendance prices will be reduced almost 20% and **new members can sign up for a series at HALF the normal price**. So what do you have to lose?

The Goddard Dance Club is dedicated to creating an atmosphere where dancing is fun – whether you are listening to the delightful dance music provided by our DJ and instructor, Chip Atwood, talking with friends or participating in one of the dance classes and practice sessions offered on **Yondays**, Wednesdays and Fridays – you’ll get an opportunity to learn to dance at your own pace in a relaxed environment.

It’s easy and **your first visit is FREE**. Just select the class you want to attend and contact the class representative to let them know what night you’ll be there.

### Why the Goddard Dance Club?

- The NASA Goddard Space Flight Center Building 8 Auditorium, where all classes and dances are held, has ***one of the best wooden dance floors in the area***.
- ***We make dancing affordable*** – Google “Goddard Dance Club” and check out the Classes page (<http://gewa.gsfc.nasa.gov/clubs/dance/Classes.HTM>) to get all the latest details on class days, times, costs and what dances are being taught.
- ***We make dancing fun***. The Goddard Dance Club promotes social ballroom dancing. The instructor rotates partners during classes and experienced dancers are encouraged to reach out and help anyone new to dancing.
- To learn more about the Goddard Dance Club, check out our website; <http://dance.gsfc.nasa.gov>.

## Calendar of Classes for 2012

Month	Wednesday Beginner	Wednesday Intermediate	Friday Class /Party
April	Swing	Foxtrot and Quickstep	Rumba
			West Coast Swing
			Argentine Tango
May	Waltz	Waltz and Samba	Argentine Tango
			Swing
			Quick-Step
June	Mambo	Waltz and Samba	Quick-Step
			Disco Hustle
			Foxtrot
July	Cha Cha	Class Choice	Salsa
			Bossa Nova
August	Class Choice	Class Choice	Tango
			Viennese Waltz
			Nightclub 2-Step
September	Rumba	Class Choice	Nightclub 2-Step
			Waltz
			Polka
October	Triple Swing	Class Choice	Polka
			Bolero
			Cha Cha
November	Foxtrot	Class Choice	Cha Cha
			Merengue
			CW 2-Step
December	Samba	Class Choice	Rumba
			Samba

**Wednesday Basic I** classes are held from 5:30 - 6:30 PM with a one hour dance practice immediately following the class. Contact the class representative, Sam Floyd (301-286-6881, [Samuel.R.Floyd@nasa.gov](mailto:Samuel.R.Floyd@nasa.gov)) to sign up.

**Wednesday Basic II** classes are held from 7:30 – 9:30 PM with a one hour dance practice before the class. Contact the class representative, Bashaer Zaki (240-233-4227, [Bezaki@gmail.com](mailto:Bezaki@gmail.com)) to sign up.

**Friday Beginner with Intermediate Variations** classes are held from 6:30 - 7:30 PM with a dance practice immediately following the class from 7:30 - 9:30 PM. Friday classes feature a different dance every two weeks. Contact the class representative, Kate Perrie (443-569-9046, [kate.perrie@verizon.net](mailto:kate.perrie@verizon.net)) to sign up.

***You don’t need to have a partner to begin dancing.***